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In re Application of Kim et al. Application No.: 10/594,466
PCT No.: PCT/KR2005/000965
Int. Filing Date: 01 April 2005
Priority Date: 01 April 2004
Attorney Docket No.: CU-5130 WWP
For: Apparatus And Method For Receiving Digital
Television Signal With Backward Compatibility

**DECISION** 

This is in response to the "Response To Decision on Petition" filed on 17 May 2010.

## **DISCUSSION**

In a Decision mailed on 18 March 2010, applicants were advised that

Review of the record reveals that an executed declaration was filed on 14 February 2007. Inspection of that declaration reveals that the sheet signed by Seung-Won KIM appears to have been separately faxed, and later attached to the remaining sheets. MPEP 605.04(a) states (in part) that...

In view of this policy, it would not be appropriate to accept the declaration filed on 14 February 2007 for purposes of compliance with 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4) and 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b). Therefore, the Filing Receipt and Notice of Acceptance mailed on 04 June 2007 were issued in error, and both are hereby VACATED. Applicants are required to file an oath or declaration compliant with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b). A declaration naming the entire inventive entity and signed by Seung-Won KIM, and meeting all other pertinent requirements, would be acceptable.

In response, counsel has provided an appropriate declaration executed by Seung-Won KIM. Taken in combination with the declaration documents previously of record, this declaration satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b).

## **DECISION**

The declaration is **ACCEPTED** for purposes of 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b).

This application is being returned to the Office of Patent Application Processing. Its date under 35 U.S.C. 371(c)(1), (2) and (4) is 17 May 2010.

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